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| For: CERAMIC BLOCK WITH BUILT | : | |
| IN ELECTRODE, AND METHOD | : | |
| OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF | : | |

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.